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## WASHINGTONVILLE

Bright, Breezy Paragraphs Telling The Happenings in the Village on Mahoning's Southern Border.

By Peter M. Herold

In the backwoods of Ohio, in the days of long ago, When religion was religion, not a dresy fashion show, When the spirit of the Master felt as a flame of living fire, And the people did the singing, not a trained artistic choir, There was scarcely seen a ripple in life's gently flowing tide, No events to draw the people from their daily toil aside, Naught to set the pious spirit of the pioneers aflame, Save upon the rare occasions when the circuit-rider came.

This village was officially "dry" last Saturday, yet no snake-bites have been reported. Prof. E. S. Freed was recently chosen as chorister of the M. E. Sunday school at Girard.

Thos. Heaton spent Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Hecker, in Salem.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather, the Dynamo dance was well attended Saturday night.

Our schools are doing well, with no contagious diseases to interfere with the usual attendance.

Thirty-five trimmed hats that sold from \$3 to \$4 for \$1 at Mrs. Ralph Brad's millinery store—Adv.

August Vignoni and lady friend of Youngstown spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Louise Vignoni.

Frank Bowker has resigned his position in the Oriental company store in Salem to accept a position in Alliance.

Frank Paisley, wife and daughter Ethel spent the week end at the home of her brother, Thomas Grindle, in Canton.

James Vivo has been off work at the Millville mines for a few days with a crushed finger received while at work.

Shoe factories give out the statement that shoes will cost \$10 a pair before this time next year. We will wait and see.

The assessors this year will place the value on real estate as well as the personal property of the county, and the job is a big one.

The ground in this neighborhood has not been entirely clear of snow since the big snowfall of November 9. Nor has the ground been very deeply frozen.

If Dispatch subscribers would wish to get "all the news all the time" they should read all the correspondence, all the general news, all legal notices and all merchant's advertisements.

The trustees and stewards of the Methodist church will have an oyster supper in the church basement Saturday night. Children 15 cents. All other 25 cents. Ice cream, cake and home made candy will also be served.

Rev. Earl Lea, pastor of the local M. E. church, is somewhat of a musical composer and his productions are being printed by a Cincinnati music publishing house. His latest sheet music is a two step entitled "Buckeye Blues."

Rev. H. C. Brillhart and wife of Leetonia have returned from an extended honeymoon trip in the eastern states. The groom is pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Weaver.

Hon. Philander C. Knox, ex-secretary of state and graduate of Mt. Union college, will deliver the commencement day oration before the graduating class at the Mt. Union-School college at the commencement day exercise June 18.

The Sebring board of education wants a new school building to cost \$20,000 and \$4,000 additional for heating and furnishing. An issue of \$26,000 of bonds to be submitted to a vote of the people February 17. This will give them a building similar to that of Washingtonville.

Ransom Shore and wife, who formerly occupied the Abraham Zimmerman farm at Millville, have bought the 73 acre farm of Elmer K. Miner and will take possession April 1. Also J. E. Morgent, superintendent of the Millville mines, has bought the C. E. Allman home on the Franklin road out of Salem.

Burt Beadle of Canton, president of the Ohio League of Saloonkeepers, was here Sunday night in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League and delivered a dynamic discourse along that line to a fair sized audience in the Lutheran church. He said he was once a booze heater himself, but after he became a convert to Billy Sunday he became so punctured with holes that the booze all leaked out of him. He used considerable slang and kept his audience in a good humor from start to finish. He closed with the usual collection, while the choir sang "Stand up, stand up for Jesus."

There was a big dog-fight in this village last Thursday, in which about a dozen of the town dogs of all sizes lit upon a big wooly dog from the country and came near doing him up. The genus homo is closely akin in this respect to the genus canine. A former citizen of this village came here as a stranger to the town, furnished work to many persons out of employment at fair wages. He interested Cleveland capitalists and soon had a clay plant and a few coal mines in operation, yet they soon "kicked it in for him." He moved from here to Salem, bought property and secured a position as superintendent of the city waterworks under a Socialist mayor. He did much gratuitous work without consulting his superior and was discharged. He was then given his superior's place, and now some of the small dogs there are barking at his heels. Sir Isaac Newton was a well posted philosopher a century ago, and Isaac Newton Russell still lives, but he is so active that he can't "give it." He is needed in a larger and less technical city.

The high school is having examinations this week. Bryan Smith is learning the horse-shoeing trade in Salem.

Miss Freeda Paisley is piano player at the Leetonia movies this week. Mrs. Layton Deloitte of Rochester, Pa., spent Sunday here with her parents.

School youths can find good coasting when older persons prefer wheeled vehicles.

Matt Moss is still confined to his room with grip, under treatment of Dr. Kibben.

Charles Frederick is confined to the house with some kind of constitutional ailment.

John A. Weikart has become so reduced with kidney troubles that he has taken his bed.

Orville Culler of Pittsburgh, Kansas, and Mrs. Ida Peck of Terre Haute, Ind., are here with relatives.

Edward James and wife of Lisbon spent last week Thursday at the home of Alf Spear and wife.

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This is McKinley day. Newt Russell's case in Salem has been postponed indefinitely.

Gil Taylor was in town Tuesday, wearing a new spring hat.

Assessors of Columbiana county will be named in a few days.

Weather the past week has been "just one thing after another."

A son was born last week at the home of Lem Moss and wife of Deerfield.

Mrs. Jos. Tourdot and daughter in-law are visiting her daughters in Canton.

Mrs. C. H. Weikart entertained the Ladies Home sewing circle Wednesday night.

Loron Taylor was housed up a few days this week with a re-occurrence of asthma.

A routing good roads meeting is scheduled to be held in Salem Tuesday, Feb. 10.

The temperature a few weeks ago was below zero, and on Wednesday it was 50 above.

The next number on our lecture course will be a musical and slight of hand artist.

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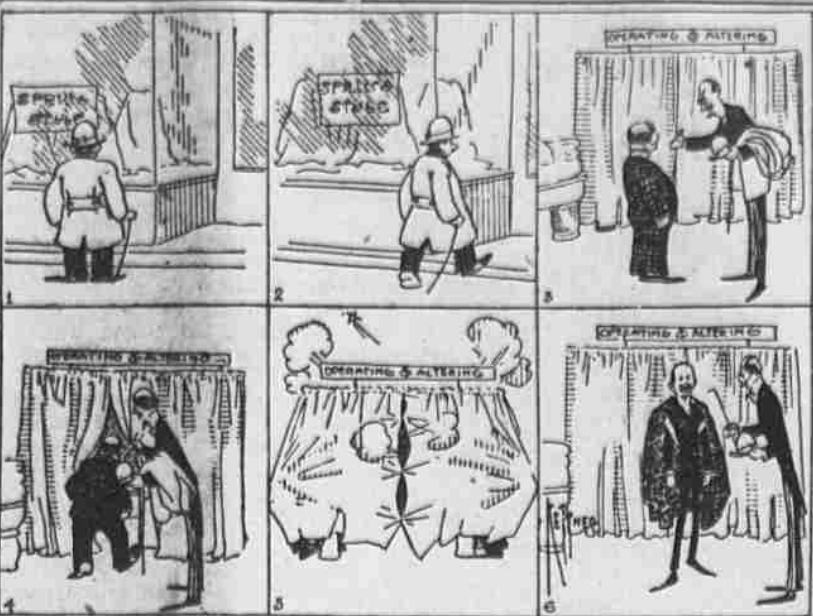
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## BLANCO

Jan. 29—Mrs. Mella Porter returned to her home here Tuesday after spending a week with her grand-daughter, Mrs. Clyde Orr, of the Jacksons.

Ona Forney is ill with tonsillitis. Blanco was well represented at the farmers' institute in Berlin Center Friday afternoon and evening.

Alton Williamson of Alliance visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Williamson, Saturday and Sunday.

Walter Keller of Diamond spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Weaver.

Miss Frances Guthrie is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Swank.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Renkenberger were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hesel.

Zella Kale called on Theo Fellnagle Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Martha Rosenbaum visited her sister, Mrs. L. W. Flick, and family, Sunday.

David Porter returned to Warren Friday after spending a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Porter.

Misses Grace and Viola Eckis, Edna Heiser, Zella Kale and Wilbur Heiser spent the last of the week here with their parents. They are again in school in Canfield.

Elmer Klingeman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Klingeman, of Newton Falls Saturday. His mother has nearly recovered from her illness.

W. J. Curtin of Mantua Station was here Tuesday.

J. W. Epler of Newton Falls was a caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. Orris Mead and Mr. George Swank, Jr., are sick.

Lighting plant have been placed in the homes of Jas. Weaver and Emory Kale.

H. W. Williamson was in North Jackson Friday.

H. E. Kale and family attended the institute and concert given by the Blind Singers Saturday night in Berlin Center. The concert was fine.

## BOARDMAN

Jan. 28—A number of friends from Youngstown were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aubel Friday evening.

George Glecker of Columbiana was a Boardman caller Sunday.

Mrs. O. B. Dutterer, Mrs. John Smith and daughters spent Thursday with Mrs. Pau Dutterer.

Mrs. A. F. Carlson spent Wednesday in Youngstown.

A number of Boardman friends were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bohn of Canfield Saturday evening. Cards, games and music were the chief entertainment. At midnight a delicious lunch was served after which all returned home wishing Mr. Bohn many more happy birthdays. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ensign Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. John Flickinger, Mr. and Mrs. William Peltch, Mr. Paul Simon, Misses Letitia, Emma and Nina Simon, Katie Feicht, Emma, Minnie, Freda and Augusta Bohn, Annabel Flickinger, Margaret Bernes, Messrs. Carl and George Bohn, Clark Feicht, and Ralph Flickinger.

Miss Gaynell Camp spent Sunday with her cousin at Kyle's Corner.

Ray Kyle of Shady Hollow is spending a few days with Ora Arbel.

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## MILTON

Jan. 28—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckis were Sunday guests at the home of S. C. Rose and wife.

Fred Detton and son Howard were in Jackson Saturday.

Frank Mrs. William Peltch, Mr. Frank and Mrs. W. L. Porter of Youngstown spent Sunday with Chas. Porter and family.

Miss Inez Detton is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Margie Libby, in Warren.

W. J. Bekis of Youngstown called on Milton friends Saturday.

Frank and Mrs. W. L. Porter of Youngstown were in Jackson Friday.

One of our citizens has engaged in the huckstering business. He makes a specialty of chickens, roosters preferred. His many friends unite in wishing him better success in this business in the future than in the past.

Joseph Osborne visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilmore and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Cramer and son Noble visited Warren relatives Monday.

Vernon Detton visited his sister, Mrs. Henry Crider, in Girard Saturday and Sunday.

Roy Broadwater was in Niles Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Reed visited Mrs. R. A. Gault of North Jackson Saturday.

## PROSPECT HILL

Jan. 29—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor and little son Charles Raymond, Sunday evening at Geo. Reed's.

Mrs. A. Kronick and daughter Mary, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Barnes of Berlin Center, circulated among friends here Sunday.

C. H. Taylor was in Salem Saturday.

Miss Margaret Waltham returned home Sunday from a week's visit at W. A. Kirtland's.

Russell Justice spent Thursday evening with L. B. Bingham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Read, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Barnes, J. C. Gordon and Mrs. Gibson were Sunday visitors at Geo. Reed's.

Lewis Read will leave soon for a short stay in Milwaukee, Wis.

Mr. Baird spent Sunday at C. H. Taylor's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Waltham and Wm. Barnett were in Salem Friday.

Miss Clara Boyer spent Saturday and Sunday here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Boyer.

Mrs. Geo. Reed is slowly improving. Mrs. Walter Notman of Alliance is caring for her.

Jan. 29—Wm. Barnett had business in Salem Friday.

Miss Molly Barry of Youngstown spent several days last week with Mrs. Chas. Annot.

Chas. Sisco is helping Joe Ceana set up his saw mill in the George Yeager woods near Ellsworth Station.

R. M. Justice and wife of Hickory spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bingham.

Miss Teresa Shaffer of Greenford is visiting a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Barnett.

Prospect Hill school children attended the farmers' institute in Berlin last Friday.

Friends and neighbors to the number of about 25 spent Monday evening with Wm. Barnett and family. A pleasant evening was passed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bingham and Chas. Annot and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Justice of Hickory.

Fred Taylor, who underwent a surgical operation for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids, is recovering nicely.

A merry crowd of young people from the Hill enjoyed a slide ride to Berlin Center Friday morning, it being the first day of the farmers' institute. But during the day the snow left and they were obliged to return in the mud.

Little Mabel Pinney, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reed, accompanied her father one day last week to Edinburg where she will make here home for some time. Mabel is a bright, lovable little girl of six years and her smiling face will be greatly missed by schoolmates.

## EAST LEWISTOWN

Jan. 28—Seth Basinger and family pleasantly entertained members of the Castalian literary society of North Lima high school last Saturday night.

C. R. Davis and Geo. Harter were in Youngstown last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns, Jr., of Persia, Iowa, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burns.

The house of Charles Double is rapidly nearing completion.

Wm. Harold of near Columbiana called on a lady friend here last Sunday.

H. W. Painter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baer and son, Sunday.

David Longanecker and family visited Mrs. Isaac Love, Sunday.

Wedding bells are the gossip. Perhaps the name "Stacky" could be applied.

The drilling of the oil well north of town was delayed a short time the latter part of last week when a drill broke.

Arthur and Mabel Burns visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve McClun at Island, Sunday.

Clarence Cole is now janitor of the Union church.

People here have just awakened to the fact that bicycle riding is the latest fad by our Locust Grove friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Moyer of Bucks county, Pa., visited friends and relatives here one day last week.

In last week's letter we made a mistake in names of the parties to a law suit in New Buffalo. The names given were Charles Mott and Carl Clay and should have been E. G. Mott and Carl Clay. We regret the mistake.

The road leading to New Buffalo is said to be traveled much just at day-break.

Joseph Engler was in Youngstown Saturday.

Ice on the roads last week made business brisk with Engler & Son in the blacksmith shop.

C. H. Blosser of Columbiana made a short call here with his parents Sunday.

Miss Nita Burns, who was confined to her bed by sickness, is able to be out.

## TWO MILES SQUARE

Jan. 28—Next Monday is ground-hog day. Look out for his shadow.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity attended the farmers' institute in Berlin Center last week.